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SUBJ: ANOTHER PRESS STORY ABOUT CIA ACTIVITIES

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SUNDAY OBSERVER

JULY 13 CARRIERS INSIDE ANOTHER

LENGTHY FEATURE ARTICLE BY OUR OLD FRIEND IONA

ANDRONOV WRITING FROM NEW YORK FOR SOVIET WEEKLY

NEW TIMES. THRUST OF STORY IS THAT KILLING OF

MARTIN LUTHER KING WAS CIA PLOT AND THAT

JAMES EARL RAY IS MERELY INNOCENT DUPE. EMBASSY

WOULD APPRECIATE HAVING ANY BACKGROUND DEPT

HAS ON ANDRONOV AS WELL AS STATUS OF NEW TIMES

IN SOVIET PUBLISHING WORLD.

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